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LABOR UNREST PASSING AWAY

Federation Chiefs Clearing Their Ranks of Radicals

REFLECT NEW SPIRIT

Arbitration Method in Coal Settlement Being Acclaimed as Precedent for Future Action.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Developments in Washington offer good evidence that the climax of the industrial disturbance that followed in the wake of the war is past.

Organized labor is cleansing its house of the revolutionary rubbish that accumulated during the busy days of the war and the chaotic period of reconstruction that followed. That is made unmistakably evident by the spirit of the conference of national and international union heads meeting here this week.

The meetings are being held in secret, but the temper of the delegates is possible of identification. They both resent and fear the presence in their ranks of radicals with revolutionary tendencies, who are fundamentally opposed to all American institutions, the American Federation of Labor included. The majority of the delegates look upon the Federation of Labor as an intensely American institution that must stand or fall with the system of government of which it is a constituent part, and they are determined to clear their organization of any parasitic attachment of anarchy or Bolshevism.

John Fitzpatrick and William Z. Foster, leaders of the steel strike, have received scant comfort from the conference. It is true that they secured a vote favoring the continuance of the strike, but they accomplished this only by delaying the decision until 11 of the 24 members of the steel committee had left the city, and of the remaining 13 two voted against the resolution.

Major George L. Berry, international president of the pressmen, expressed what is believed to be the majority sentiment of the conference here when he attacked the leaders of the steel strike and declared that they should be driven from organized labor.

The federation is on record as indorsing the steel strike, but it is known that it took its stand more in opposition to Judge Gary and his refusal to recognize collective bargaining than in full support of either strike or its leaders.

Offering further evidence of the anti-Red spirit of the conference, William H. Johnson, president of the International Association of Machinists, announced that his organization had recently expelled 100 men in Detroit who were out of sympathy with the American form of government.

"We have no objection to those who believe in progress by evolution," he said, "but we have no room for those who desire revolution."

In further evidence of the betterment of relations and imminence of a new and workable basis in the settlement of disputes between employers and employes, John L. Lewis, acting president of the Mine Workers' Union and William E. Green, secretary and treasurer, are acclaiming the accepted arbitration method of settling the coal strike as a precedent for the handling of like situations in the future and as the herald of a new era of industrial peace.

It is an open secret that the National Industrial Conference, now meeting here in executive session, will favor collective bargaining and some form of arbitration akin to that favored by Lewis and Green. With the Federation unions cleaning house and favoring arbitration as a principle of strike settlement, and in national conference expected to recommend a program in harmony with the general nature of the coal strike settlement, those closely in touch with the situation believe that the period of reconstruction chaos may be considered as past.

Grand Theatre tomorrow matinee and night, don't miss seeing Frank Keenan in "The Public Defender." A picture for all.

ENTERTAIN FOR MISS MANSFIELD

A surprise "shower" was given last evening, at the residence of Mrs. S. Dexter Forbes in Cameron Street by Mrs. Forbes and Mrs. H. A. Ziegler, in honor of Miss Esther Price Mansfield, whose marriage to Mr. George Edgar Pettitt takes place on the 27th inst. The home was artistically decorated with holiday greens. During the evening Miss Esther Schmele, of Washington, impersonating Old St. Nicholas appeared with a huge pack and presented Miss Mansfield with a large number of well selected and beautiful gifts. After an interchange of social greeting the hostesses entertained the guests at a dainty and well prepared repast.

LOUISIANA SUGAR

Consumers Made to Pay 24 Cents a Pound for Cane Product

Wilmington, Del., Dec. 18.—Large quantities of Louisiana sugar has arrived in Wilmington and is being sold at from 22 to 24 cents a pound retail. The local dealers are criticising the government for allowing this sugar to come through at the price and declared that there is no reason why such a high price should be allowed for this sugar which they declare is inferior to the Cuban sugar.

It is asserted that to allow this sugar to come through at this time merely assists the Louisiana refiners in taking advantage of the present market and that it is unfair to confine the retailer to a price of 12 cents a pound or under for the Cuban sugar and allow this to be sold for 22 to 24 cents a pound. In the beginning a considerable number of people bought the new sugar at the high price but now there appears to be a tendency to refuse to do so and to hold off until the Cuban sugar again comes in insufficient quantities to supply the demand. So long as the present scarcity continues, however, there are some people unfortunately, who will pay any price for sugar in order to get it.

500 CARS OF COAL HELD UP

Richmond, Va., Dec 18.—"There is far more coal being mined in southwest Virginia than the railroads can handle or bring away," said A. G. Lucas, State mine inspector, who is here making up his report of inspection. "When I was at Appalachia there were 500 cars loaded with coal that the company had been unable to get the railroad to take away. This number of cars loaded with coal is increasing every day. The same conditions obtain at Tom's Creek, St. Charles, Keokee, Imboden and other places.

"The miners are getting out more coal than ever before, and it is being allowed to accumulate in quantities that makes one feel that something should be done to relieve conditions."

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the shareholders of this bank will be held at the banking house, January, 13th, 1920, between the hours of 12 noon and 1 p. m., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting.

294-30t M. L. Dinwiddie, Cashier

Norfolk salt water Oysters and Hampton Bar clams Jacob Brill, foot of King Street. 227-tf

DIED

GIBBS—On Wednesday, December 16, 1919, at the Alexandria Hospital, J. Norman Gibbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Gibbs, of Mt. Vernon, Fairfax County, Va. Funeral at 2 p. m., Fridal, December 19, from Wheatley's mortuary chapel. 300-1t

McCUEN—After a long and painful illness, Alice, wife of George McCuen, and sister of Mrs. Benjamin Posey and Mrs. E. D. Sterne. Funeral from the latter's residence, 460 H street, S. W., Washington, D. C., Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock. 300-1p

REARDON—On Thursday, December 18, 1919, at his residence, 805 Prince street, William M. Reardon, aged 81 years. Funeral from his late residence Saturday, December 20, at 2 p. m. 300-2p

DIRECTORS CHOSEN BY BUILDING CO

Seven Elected by Alexandria Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation

WORK TO START SOON

Purpose of Concern is to Erect Homes For Employees of Alexandria Naval Torpedo Station.

The stockholders of the Alexandria Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation, which concern was recently chartered by the State Corporation Commission, held a largely attended meeting last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at which time directors were chosen They are as follows: W. A. Smoot, W. P. Woolls, Taylor Burke, Geo. E. Warfield, B. Weil, Robert S. Jones, and Carroll Pierce.

The purpose of this corporation is to erect homes in this city for the employees of the Naval Torpedo Station here.

Already stock amounting to $110,000 has been subscribed to the project by some of the leading business and professional men of the city, a total of 75 having subscribed to shares of $1,000 or more of the stock.

The shareholders it is understood will further increase the capital stock of the corporation by all wing those desiring to take a smaller amount come in. The minimum will be $100.

When the canvassers for the proposition first made their rounds they learned that many were willing to subscribe for $500 worth of stock who could not take $1,000 and there are many others who are anxious to go in for a smaller amount.

It is the purpose of this organization to start the work of building houses at an early date. The contract may soon be awarded and work of constructing 100 modern homes begun. This corporation will erect other houses from time to time as the occasion may require.

The meeting last night was attended by all of the subscribers to the stock.

INGOMAR THEATRE

Frank Keenan in "Brothers Divided" at the Ingomar Theatre tonight, is the feature attraction, and after you see it you will agree that it is Frank Keenan's best. He plays a remarkable dual role of brothers that have differing hearts and minds. It's a drama of American homes.

Old Matthew King was a crab if ever there was one. He dominated the town. He hated everything and everybody. All the women and children who worked for him feared him and their jobs. The men were loafers—the town was a mud hole.

The picture overflows with delightful human touchs of sunshine; of laughter; music, tears and flowers. The cast is a splendid one. Gertrude Andrews wrote the story, and Mr. Keenan himself directed it.

ORDER FRATERNAL AMERICANS

Alexandria, Council, Order Fraternal American, will hold its semimonthly meeting this evening. At this time the annual election of officers will take place. Also a large number of candidates will receive the degrees of the Order, who were unable to be present at the Class mitiation held on December 4th. It is expected there will be a large turn out of the brotherhood to greet the newly initiates.

Grand Theatre tomorrow matinee and night, don't miss seeing Frank Keenan in "The Public Defender." A picture for all.

MARRIED—Miss Dorothy Burkett and Gordon B. Jones, Monday, December 15th, by the Rev. Mr. Wallace, in Baltimore, Md. 300-1p

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the directors of the Alexandria Iron Works will be held at the office, Royal and Wilkes street, January 1st, 1920, at 9 a. m.

By order of the President.

299-12t A. S. Mankin, Secty.

POLICEMAN CHOSEN

Board of Commissioners Receive Report of Chief Goods—88 Arrests in Month

Douglas Lunsford, a former member of the police force, last night was elected a member of that force by the board of police commissioners to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John W. Kerns.

There were five applications read to the board. Only four of the applicants, however, appeared before the board. The election of Mr. Lunsford was made on the first ballot.

Chief Goods submitted his monthly report which showed that during the past month 88 persons were arrested. Of this number speed violators headed the list with twenty for that offense. There were eight each for violating traffic law, drunk on the street, and gambling. For violating the prohibition law two arrests were made and three were charged with putting out counterfeit money.

COMMUNITY REVUE BOOKED NEXT WEEK

"Revue of 1919" Scheduled For Four Night at the Opera House

LOCAL STARS IN CAST

Several Novel Acts, New Scenery and Costumes to Make up First Production of Community's Service

The "Revue of 1919", the first show to be produced by the Alexandria Community Service, will make its debut Monday night at the Opera House, when the first performance will be given.

The show will be put on four nights, Dec. 22, 23, 25 and 26th of the month. The curtain will go up at 8.15 sharp, and a good two hours of fun and music is promised Alexandrians who are fortunate enough to secure tickets for the performances.

Among the local stars who are taking part in the Revue will ge found Bernie Hamilton, Doc Sutton, Gorlon Phillips, Raymond Rogers, Harry Hinken, Johnny Arnold, Carroll Hantzmann, Center Hayden, Vernon Webster, Bill Roland, Frank Cockrell, Rosy Hayden, Talbot Haslitt, Johnny Bergin and Mr. Cornell. There will also be a bevy of local girls assisting.

Minstrelsy of 1919 will be the opening number, and will be followed in rapid order by six real sure fire acts, including a transformation number which is sure to be a success.

As a finale, "Hickville," will be staged, and this act is without a doubt one of the best ever produced for the big time.

George Welker is in charge of the stage, with Gordon Phillips director and Doc Sutton assisting. Raymond Rogers is in charge of the music.

Tickets for the four nights will be placed on sale tomorrow morning at the usual places. Several surprises have been arranged, and are sure to please Alexandrians. Invitations have been received to stage the show in Washington, Camp Humphreys and Fredericksburg.

CHRISTMAS GIFT

One of the most sensible Xmas gifts is a pair of army shoes which can be purchased at one half original cost at sale now going on 120 North Fairfax Street. Open evenings till 8 o'clock. 299-4t

WM. M. REARDON DIES AT AGE OF 81

Had Been Engaged in Ice Business For 30 Years

PRESIDENT OF MUTUAL

For Many Years Was Steamboat Agent Here—Funeral Services at 2 O'clock Saturday Afternoon.

William Matthew Reardon, eighty-one years old, president of the Mutual Ice Company, Inc., died at 12:45 o'clock this morning at his residence, 805 Prince street. Mr. Reardon had been in failing health for some time past, although his condition did not become serious until a few days ago.

The deceased besides his wife, Mrs. Nora Reardon, is survived by the following children, O. Ashby Reardon, Miss Corinne Reardon, John Underwood Reardon and Miss Lucy Virginia Reardon.

The deceased was born in Alexandria and for about thirty years had been engaged in the ice business. For a number of years he was identified with the firm of F. A. Reed and Company, dealers in natural ice and upon the death of Mr. Reed engaged in that business for himself. Mr. Reardon also at the time was agent for a number of Baltimore and other river steamers.

In 1901 when the Mutual Ice Company was organized he became head of that concern with which he was actively identified at the time of his death.

Mr. Reardon was a member of Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons, Mount Vernon Chapter, No. 14, Royal Arch Masons, Old Dominion Commandery, Knights Templar and Acca Temple, Mystic Shrine.

His funeral will take place at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from his late residence. Services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor of the M. E. Church South, and burial will be in the Presbyterian cemetery.

SAD NEWS FOR CHICAGOANS

Two Theatres Advance New Year's Eve Prices to $11

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Two leading Chicago theatres yesterday announced an increase in the price of seats for the New Year's Eve performances from $3.30 to $11, including war tax. The others will raise admissions for that night from $3.30 to $6.30.

GOLDMAN'S NOTICE

New York, Dec. 18.—Harry Weinberger, counsel for Emma Goldman, who announced that she would waive her right to appeal from the deportation order sending her back to Russia with Alexander Berkman and some 80 other Russian radicals, forwarded to Attorney General Palmer last night formal notice of her action.

FISH DAY TOMORROW! Potomac bass, Spanish mackerel, large yellow perch, steak pollock, fresh haddock, lake trout, select Hampton Bar and Potomac River oysters. SANITARY FISH MARKET, City market, phone 735. Open until 6 p. m. J. H. Robinson, proprietor. 300-1p

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at the banking house, Tuesday, January 13th, 1920, between the hours of eleven o'clock a. m., and twelve o'clock noon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may be properly brought before the meeting.

George E. Warfield, Cashier.

295-30t

FAST DRIVING

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The home of the Exide giant is JESTER'S

The General has his headquarters at JESTER'S

300-1t. King and Patrick Sts.

THE MEXICAN SITUATION

Senator Fall Says Carranza Has Again Shown His Contempt For the United States

The defiance of the United States by the Mexican Government in declining to relinquish the legal proceedings against William O. Jenkins, United States consular agent, was met without comment at the State Department yesterday, beyond a brief statement from officials that the text of the note had not yet been received, although it had been delivered to the American Embassy at Mexico City.

But the diplomatic silence which hung over the State Department was not apparent at the Capitol, where Senator Fall, of New Mexico, chairman of the committee which had been investigating the Mexican situation, declared that the note was merely another evidence of Carranza's contempt for the United States Government,, and in keeping with the indignities which he has heaped upon this country.

It is also likely that the administration will again retreat from the stand taken against Carranza, the Senator said, and once more back off, roll its eyes upward and wash its hand of the Mexican situation with the proclamation of "peace on earth, good will to bandits."

LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

The usual number of letters addressed to Santa Claus are being received through the mail at the postoffice. Some are addressed to him at the North Pole and others are simply addressed "Toyland." All of the writers enumerate their wants for Christmas.

Judging from some of the wants of the little ones they have not figured out that Santa has had any trouble with old High Cost of Living.

CLARK BOOM STARTED

New York, Dec. 18.—Permanent headquarters will be established here in the interests of the candidacy of Champ Clark, former speaker of the House of Representatives, for the Democratic nomination for President, Julius J. Binder chairman of a local committee, announced yesterday.

Similar committees will be established throughout the country, he said.

SPORTS

A meeting of the Alexandria City basketball league will be held tonight at the community center at 8 o'clock Teams will present their list of players, and the forfeit money at tonights meeting. Those failing to put in an appearance will not be granted franchises.

The league season will start Monday night, December 29th. at the Armory Hall, when the Virginia Athletic Club meets the five from the 5th Engineers, Camp Humphrey. Games will be staged every Monday and Friday night at the Armory.

The Dreadnoughts are in fairly good shape for their big game Sunday with the Rex club in Washington. Coach Crouch has been working hard with his charges and the men are confident of being able to bring back the championship to Alexandria.

Preparations to take care of a record crowd are being made at uniform league park. Trucks have been secured which will carry the rooters from Alexandria direct to the park in Washington, and bring them back after the game.

Tomorrow, the Gazette will present a comparative analysis of the rival teams.

The Victors defeated the High School Midgets at Basketball at the community center, 20 to 6. Sterling Hall starred for the winners while Skeeter Houston played well for the losers.

The Lyceum basketball team will play the Camp Humphreys Officers team tomorrow night at the Camp The team will leave the community center promptly at 6.30 o'clock, and manager Wheatly requests all members of the team to report promptly at that hour. This will be the first game of the season for the crack local aggregation.

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HAPPENINGS ABOUT CITY TOLD IN BRIEF

W. D. Hudson, formerly of this city but now of Newport News, Va., is on a short visit to his old home.

Mrs. Tillie Bayliss of North Payne street and Mrs. Lula Smith are visiting in Philadelphia and Bridgeton, N. J.

Manager Edwards of the Shubert-Garrick Theater of Washington is contemplating opening a branch ticket office in Alexandria.

Mrs. I. Wilber Reid acknowledges this donation for the Alexandria Hospital from a dear little girl, Miss Eleanora Dyson, $1.

It is reported that the government expects to shortly open an office in this city for the sale of internal revenue stamps.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Lawrence C. Craig, of Alexandria, and Anna A. Jackson, of Warrenton, Va.

In the Circuit Court for this city, Judge S. G. Brent presiding, Mrs. Mollie F. Coflin was appointed administratrix of the estate of John W. Coflin.

Miss Dorothy Burkett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burkett, and Gordon B. Jones, both of this city, were married Monday in Baltimore, by the Rev. Mr. Wallace.

Mrs. H. P. Hutchinson and little daughter, Dorothy, have returned to their home in Monroe, Va., after a visit to her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bibb.

Mrs. Alice McCuen, wife of Geo. McCuen, a former resident, died in Washington and her funeral will take place at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning from the residence of her sister, Mrs. E. D. Sterne, 460 H street, southwest, Washington.

Howard W. Smith, special commissioner, has sold to T. C. Hoy house and lot 309 Duke street, and T. C. Hoy conveys same property to Mrs. Maggie Mellon. Miss Loula Smoot has sold to Carroll Pierce, trustee, lot 12, block 23, section 3, Rosemont.

A Community Dance will be held Saturady night at community center, Prince and Royal Streets. As only a limited number of couples can be accommodated, those desiring tickets are requested to secure them at once from the Center. Raymond Rogers' Community Orchestra will furnish the music.

The order of Moose tonight will give a dance in Odd Fellows' Hall to which all members of the order and their friends are invited. Special music has been arranged for the affair and it is expected that there will be a large gathering of members of the order and their friends in attendance.

A rehearsal of the "Revue of 1919" show troupe will be held tomorrow night at 7.30 o'clock at the Community Center, and every member of the troupe must be on hand. Those failing to put in an appearance will be dropped from the show list. The following men are requested to report at 7 o'clock: Hinken, Roland, Hamilton, Arnold, Center Hayden, Carrol Hantzmann, Buck Thurston, Vernon Webster and Johny Bergin.

The Alexandria students from the University of Virginia who are to spend the Christmas holidays at their homes, a number of whom arrived last night, are Lawrence G. Fawcett, Johnson McGuire, Edwin Graham, Alvin Friedlander, Hugh Marsh, Charles C. Carlin, Jr., C. Waller Barrett, Everett Pohl, Robert E. Knight, Jr., Brooke Howard, Thomas Kelly, Herbert O'Meara, James M. Duncan, Jr., Edgar Dare, Harry Howard, Charles Sullivan, William Blake, Charles Bruce Morton and Albert Bryan.

NOTICE

The roller skating rink at Armory Hall will be closed until further notice. 300-1e

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UNREST SUBSIDING

As will be seen by an article on the first page of the Gazette, according to a Washington correspondent, the recent unrest in labor circles is subsiding, and most of those who were recently unreasonable and defiant are now clothed and in their right minds.

The American Federation of Labor, which objects to being looked upon as unpatriotic, is engaged in house-cleaning, and many radicals who ensconced themselves in their nest are being ejected, one hundred having during the past few days been told they were in the wrong shop.

A new spirit is now being injected into the laboring ranks of the country, and the Federation of Labor wants it understood that they are Americans and ready to stand by the laws and institutions of the United States. The Federation announces that their organization is no place for Bolshevists nor anarchists. It has also attacked the leaders in the recent steel strike.

Years ago it was predicted that radical labor leaders would get into the American Federation not for the purpose of improving the condition of the workingmen of the country, but with the determination to secure the whip handle in order to wreck our government and bring distress upon the nation. It will afford gratification to all to know that the organization is wide awake and that it is now engaged in clearing its ranks of undesirables. Columbia is also awake to the fact that thugs of other climes have invaded the United States for the purpose of sowing discontent among us and eventually loosening the foundations of the greatest government upon the earth. Head centres like Berkman and Emma Goldman will soon be upon old ocean on their way back to the countries whence they came.

ERA OF EXTRAVAGANCE

A. Mitchell Palmer, who is engaged in a war upon the high cost of living, has given out certain rules which are practical, and which he believes will slowly lower the present high prices of both necessities and luxuries. Among other things he says: "Stop this nation-wide saturnalia of extravagance."

We do not adopt the philosophy of Diogenes, who prowled about the streets of ancient Athens attired in a single garment and who slept in a tub. His aim was to renounce everything unnecessary, and upon seeing a boy drink water from his hand he threw away a cup he had previously carried. On the night Alexander the Great was dying in Babylon after a debauch Diogenes was in the pangs of death the result of eating too much raw beef for his supper.

We have on a former occasion quoted an observation of the late Rev. Dr. John Hall, at one time pastor of the Fifth Avenue New York, Presbyterian Church. This good man said he enjoyed walking along the principal streets of New York during the Christmas season, gazing in windows at displays of holiday goods and thanking God there were so many things in the world he could do without."

Words of wisdom these.

EARTH STILL ON ITS ORBIT

As has been its custom since the beginning of time, the earth today continues to travel its beaten path around the sun, in spite of the fact that amateur astronomers and others who know less of the habits of the terrestial bodies which make up the universe, made dire predictions for yesterday owing to the fact that six of the large planets were due by coincidence to line themselves up and exert a united pull on Old Sol.

Some of the prognosticators averred that the united efforts of the sextette would jerk away a portion of Sol's face and create a sun spot of dimensions hitherto unknown. The result, according to some of the predictions, would be that the earth would cease to gyrate, the oceans would dry up, and that roofs would be torn from houses and the parlor furniture and kitchen subjected to a down pour which would make the Biblical deluge appear like the spray from an asthmatic atomizer. But nothing of the kind happened.

A large part of London's population stayed awake all Tuesday night, and midnight prayers were said in thousands of homes, due to the wide spread publicity given to the alleged prophesy of Professor Porta, of the University of Michigan, that the peculiar planetary constellation yesterday would bring about the end of the world.

There were a few anxious people in Alexandria too.

In the language of the Good Book, "Where is the promise of all this? for since the fathers fell asleep all things continue as they were from the beginning of the creation."

DECEMBER GALES

A fleet of transatlantic passenger steamships as well as freight vessels is overdue at New York because of the severe December gales that have been sweeping the Atlantic during the past fortnight. More than a dozen passenger vessels carrying a total of some like 2,000 passengers bound for New York and more than 100 freight craft carrying, besides their quota of a million tons of valuable cargo, nearly 3000 human beings in their crews are overdue all the way from three to ten days from foreign ports.

All the passenger steamships have been accounted for and are moving slowly westward, but there are many anxious hearts on this side of the Atlantic waiting for word from the cargo carriers, whose radio radius is not of such a wide extent as to permit them to communicate readily with the shore from mid-Atlantic.

TO USE COTTON FOR PAPER

Petersburg, Va., Dec. 18.—The Southern Oil Company has secured a considerable portion of the Du Pont holdings at Hopewell and expects shortly to begin the manufacture of paper from cotton fibre there as a experiment. The purification equipment of the former Du Pont munition plant, it is said, has been taken over by the oil company and will be used in its business.

The proximity of Hopewell to the cotton producing and ginning sections, together with its excellent shipment facilities, make it a desirable location.

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And how to make your money go far enough to have this festive meal the same enjoyable occasion as in the good old days of Auld Lang Syne with its usual courses of TURKEY AND TRIMMINGS, MINCE PIE, NUTS, FRUIT CAKES, and all the other goodies. All you have to do is to call on

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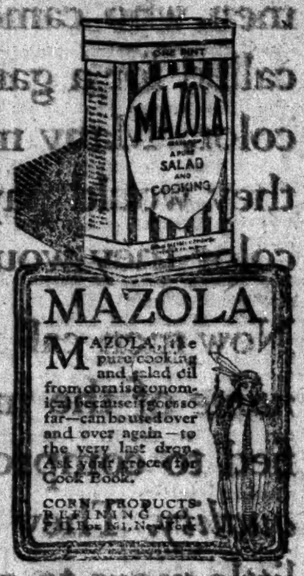
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Owing to the extreme scarcity of sugar the Karo Syrup People are placing in various cities—an educational demonstration of the many uses to which their product can be used as a substitute for sugar. For this occassion they have selected this store and Saturday as the day on which a lady representative of the Karo people will be glad to meet every lady in Alexandria at Zalkind and assist them in the art of substituting their high grade syrups for sugar.

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Fresh hams	30c
Fresh shoulders	28c
Side pork	26c
Good pork chops	30c
Prime chops	35c
Pure pork sausage	38c
Fresh sausage meat	28c

Spare ribs, neck bones, kidneys and heads at reduced prices.

SMOKED MEATS

Armour and Cudahy cured hams	30c
Sugar cured shoulders	23c
Shaffer's cured bacon, sliced	40c
In piece	38c
Bologne and link sausage	24c

Rabbits, fowls and turkeys in stock at market price.

Hirsch can pumpkin, while it lasts	10c
Also some special brands of the best coffee at lb.	28c
Eggs, good	58c

VEAL—Milk Fed, Home Killed

Cutlets	45c
Loin and rib chops	38c
Shoulder chops	30c
Shoulder roast	28c
Veal breast	20c

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Choice Steaks

Round, sirloin and porterhouse	27c
Chuck steaks	22c
Chuck roast	20c
Boullion roast	24c
Shoulder clod	24c
Prime rib	25c
Boiling beef	12c

Inspect the grade before buying

LAMB

Leg lamb	32c
Shoulder	28c
Shoulder Chops	28c
Loin and rib chops	38c
Breast	20c

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That is, the practical, sensible love tokens that friends and relatives love to receive, because of their usefulness. This store is filled with these sensible gifts. We hope we'll have enough to go around, but to avoid disappointment we urge you to do your Christmas shopping at once.

For Men

Neckties	50c to $5.00
Scarfs	$1.50 to $5.00
Umbrellas	$2.50 to $10.00
Shirts	$2.00 to $15.00
Hosiery	25c to $2.50
Handkerchiefs	15c to $1.00
Suspenders	50c to $1.50
Sweaters	$2.50 to $15.00
Underwear	$1.25 to $9.00
Garters	25c to $1.00
Pajamas	$2.00 to $5.00
Night Robes	$1.50 to $2.50
Dress gloves	$2.50 to $5.00
Auto gauntlets	$2.50 to $10.00
Wool gloves	50c to $2.00
Helmets	$1.50 to $3.00
Golf caps	75c to $2.50
Garter sets	75c to $1.00
Trunks	$10.00 to $50.00
Suit cases	$3.50 to $30.00
Traveling bags	$3.50 to $35.00
Pocket books	$1.00 to $10.00

For Women

Dress gloves	$2.50 to $5.00
Silk hose	$2.00 to $5.00
Lisle hose	50c to $1.00
Umbrellas	$2.50 to $10.00
Fancy collars	50c to $4.00
Handkerchiefs	15c to $2.00
Leather hand bags	$1.25 to $6.50
Sweaters	$5.00 to $15.00
Knit skirts	$1.00 to $3.50
Fur scarfs	$10.00 to $75.00
Fur muffs	$10.00 to $75.00
White aprons	50c to $1.98
Fancy scarfs	98c to $5.00
Face towels	25c to $2.00
Bath towels	50c to $2.00
Japanese china	98c to $10.00
Pocket books	$1.25 to $10.00
Outing robes	$1.98 to $2.50
Boudoir caps	98c to $5.00
Silk Waists	$7.50 to $18.00
Corsets	$1.50 to $8.00

For Kiddies

Sweaters	$3.50 to $7.50
Handkerchiefs	25c to 50c
Hosiery	25c to 75c
Hand bags	69c to $1.98
Gloves	50c to $2.00
Golf caps	50c to $2.50
Bath robes	$2.50 to $3.50
Coats	$5.98 to $19.50
Fur sets	$5.98 to $25.00
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ATTACKS DRY LAW

Rhode Island Starts Supreme Court Action Against Amendment

Further proceedings to invalidate the national prohibition amendment were begun yesterday in the United States Supreme Court.

The State of Rhode Island, through its attorney general, Herbert A. Rice, filed a motion with the court, asking permission to bring in an original suit to test the legality of the amendment and the Volstead enforcement legislation.

In its bill of complaint, the State defines the amendment as unconstitutional, revolutionary and usurpatory, and requests that Attorney General Palmer and Daniel C. Roper, commissioner of internal revenue, be enjoined from enforcing it in Rhode Island.

The general features of the State's motion resemble similar proceedings instituted in the Supreme Court Tuesday by the Retail Liquor Dealers' Association of New Jersey, declaring the amendment void and asking permission to bring an original test suit.

Both applications make the point that the final ratifying power of a constitutional amendment rests with the people; and that the State legislatures, in proceeding to ratify the prohibition amendment without submitting it to a referendum, usurped that power. Added significance and importance is given yesterday's proceedings, however, by the fact that a State itself is questioning the authority of the Federal government to declare an amendment effective, when it is maintained it has not been legally enacted.

SHELVES SUGAR BILL

Railroad Bill Given Priority in Senate Over Legislation Intended to Help Down Living Costs

Sugar relief legislation passed Tuesday by the House met with a temporary setback in the Senate yesterday when an effort to supplant the pending Railroad bill in its favor was defeated 41 to 23. Advocates of the measure now expect it to go to conference with prospects of enactment before the holiday recess very dubious. They had hoped to obtain concurrence of the Senate in the House bill.

Senator Harrison, Democrat, Mississippi, proposed that the Senate concur in the House amendments, without sending the bill to conference. Senator Ransdell, Democrat, Louisiana, objected, opposing retention of the licensing plan particularly. Chairman Cummins, in charge, and others interested in the Railroad bill also objected to sidetracking that measure and resultant delay.

Urging his motion, Senator Harrison reiterated charges that Congress was responsible for failure to relieve consumers from soaring sugar prices.

The Sugar bill has been before the Senate since October 8, he said, and the House, although the bill originated in the Senate, passed it within 48 hours.

Chairman Gronna, of the Agriculture Committee, urging that the sugar measure be sent to conference denied that Congress was responsible.

Immediate consideration of the Sugar bill, Senator Ransdell warned, would result in prolonged debate as he would oppose the House licensing amendments to the end. The vote followed.

RICHMOND THEATRE

The attraction at the Richmond Theatre tonight will be "The Broken Melody" by Ouida Bergere, featuring the well known and popular screen star, Eugene O'Brien.

Snub Pollard and little "Sambo," the pickaninny will be seen in a comedy.

RAILROADS' RETURN

Labor and Farmers' Organizations Appeal for Two-Year Extension

Heads of the railway brotherhoods and representatives of some farmers' organizations appeared in a body at the White House yesterday and left a petition for retention of the railroads under the control of the government for at least two years, with Secretary Tumulty, for presentation to the President.

President Wilson's mind is still open on the question of returning the railroads to private control, Secretary Tumulty told the delegation.

This was the first authoritative expression on the subject which had come from administration quarters since the President informed Congress last May that he planned to relinquish Federal control by January 1.

The President, Mr. Tumulty said, would be glad to get the views of the labor and farmer representatives, who insisted that a fair test of government operation in peace time should be given.

LOSSES BY PROHIBITION

Liquor Interests to Sue U. S. for $400,000,000 Alleged Losses

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Liquor interests estimate their losses as a result of the enforcement of the Wartime Prohibition law at $400,000,000, according to a statement made here by Levy Mayer, chief counsel for the distillers in the Middle West.

He announced that a suit to recover approximately this sum from the United States Government will soon be filed in the Court of Claims at Washington. He will go to New York next Monday or Tuesday to confer with the legal representatives of certain liquor interests with regard to the filing of the suit.

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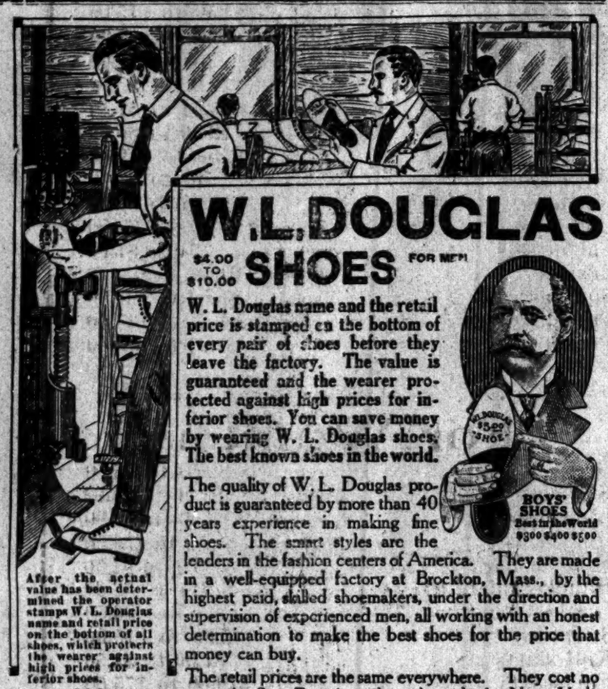

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VERDICT FOR DEFENDANTS

Case Grew Out of Arrest Made by Prohibition Officers

Mecklenburg, Va., Dec. 18.—Following a ten minute consideration of the evidence in the case of William B. Boyd, against J. Sidney Peters, W. C. Payne, and Paul Beattie, the jury this week, sitting in the court of Mecklenburg county returned a verdict for the defendants. The verdict followed a hearing of the case before Judge William R. Barksdale.

The case grew out of the arrest of Boyd by special officers Payne and Beattie, on March 29, 1918. The officers, after an exciting encounter, graphically described by Officer Beattie, arrested Boyd and another man near a still. Incidental to the excitement the second man escaped. Later Boyd sought damages for false arrest with the result of the above mentioned verdict.

GERMAN MADE TOYS

World War Veterans Object to Actions of Pennsylvania Merchants

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 18.—At a meeting here of Lincoln Post, No. 78, American Legion, unanimous protest was voiced against the sale of German made toys in the stores. The action was based on reports that firms in nearby communities were advertising articles made in Germany before the war for sale. A resolution of protest was ordered forwarded to the State Department at Washington. The legion takes the stand that sale of German goods should be prohibited until peace is declared.

KNOX'S PEACE ATTEMPT

Unanimous Consent Refused for Consideration of Two New Resolutions

Another move toward bringing about the declaration of peace by a resolution of Congress was made yesterday when Senator Knox had referred to the Foreign Relations Committee two resolutions on the subject.

Senator Knox took action after he had been refused unanimous consent for the consideration of either resoution in the Senate. One resolution provided for ratification of the treaty only in so far as it establishes peace with Germany, while the other declares in eight words that peace exists between the United States and Germany.

BRYAN COMING TO VIRGINIA

Commoner Will Tour State in Behalf of Anti-Saloon League in January

William Jennings Bryan and Richmond Pearson Hobson will make a tour of Virginia during January in the interest of the Anti Saloon League law enforcement and world wide prohibition campaign, it was announced yesterday at the office of State Director T. C. Carrington. Congressman Upshaw of Atlanta, Ga., will speak on Friday night in Roanoke.

Billy Sunday will back the campaign of the Anti-Saloon League of America for funds to be used in the law enforcement and world wide prohibition while holding his meetings in Norfolk during the month of January.

Make This an Electrical Christmas

What woman is there who wouldn't want something electrical for a gift at Christmas Time? They all appreciate such presents.

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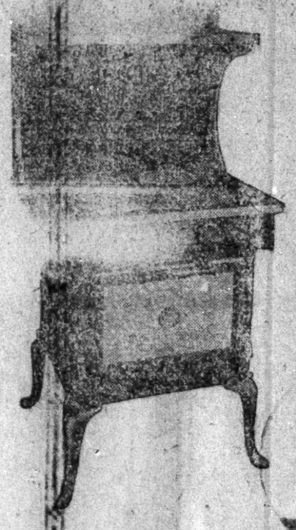
An electric range leads the list of useful and practical gifts. It is an investment in the health of wife or [illegible] Buy today.



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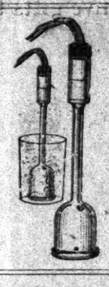

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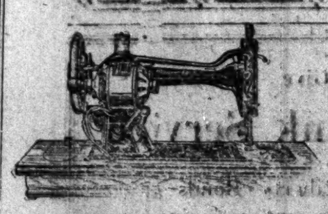

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Little Boys' shoes **$2, $2.50, $3, $3.50 $4, $5.00.**

Men's slippers **$1.50, $2, $2.50, $3.00 $3.50, $4, $4.50.**

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SMOKED MEATS

Smoked Shoulders .. 23c
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Breakfast Bacon in the piece, lb. 35c
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All kinds of sausage special at, lb. 22c

Spare ribs, neck bones and kidneys at special low prices.
Large Sack of Flour, 12 lbs. Orange Grove 75c
Black-eyed peas, qt. 15c
Navy Beans, qt. 20c
Virginia Buckwheat, special, 2 lbs. 13c
Sauer Kraut, qt. .. 10c
White Potatoes, pk. 50c
Sweet Potatoes, pk. 50c
Corn, 2 cans 25c
Peas, 2 cans 25c
Tomatoes, 2 cans ... 25c
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Pure Lard, lb. 32c
Eggs, doz. 58c

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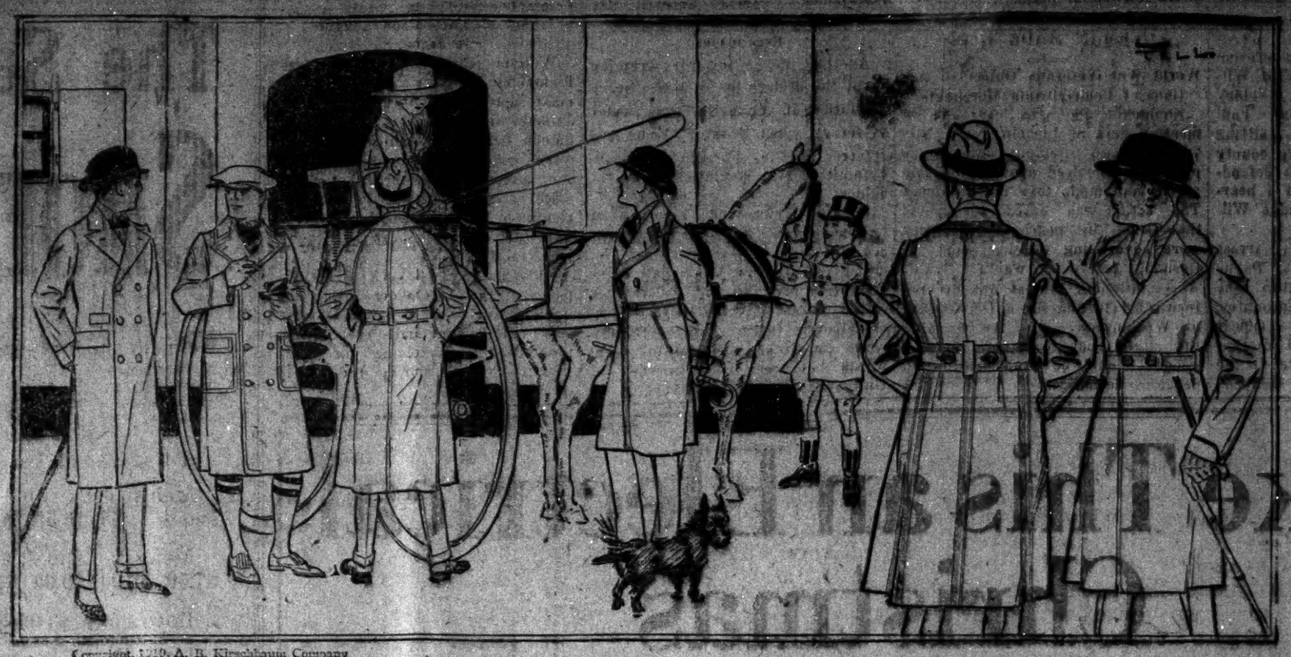

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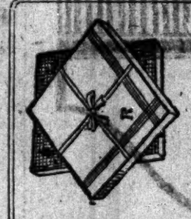

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NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company:

This is to advise that the annual meeting of the stockholder of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., between the hours of 12 and 1 p. m., on the 26th day of January, 1920, for the transaction of such business as may properly be transacted at such meeting, and at which meeting the following resolution will be submitted to the stockholders, for action thereon, viz:

RESOLVED—That the Board of the annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation, to be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., between the hours of 12 and 1 p. m., on the 26th day of January, 1920, that the board of directors be authorized and empowered to dispose of the one thousand shares of the common stock of the corporation, now in the Treasury, or so much thereof as the board may deem necessary, from time to time, for the purposes and uses of the corporation, the same to be sold at par for cash, and in their judgment they may dispose of such portions thereof as the board may deem expedient in the payment of cash dividends that may be declared from time to time by the board on the common stock of the corporation. In no event, however, shall the said stock be disposed of at less than its par value.

D. A. Smith, Secretary.
By order of the board of directors.
300-31t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Bernard McCann, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same, properly certified to the undersigned for payment.

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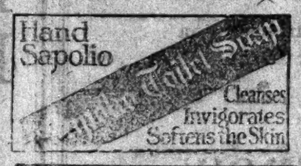

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12:00 M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.40, 2.00, 2.20, 2.40, 3.00, 3.20, 3.40, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40.
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12 M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.55.
†Except Sundays.

RAILROAD SCHEDULES

Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains, Alexandria, Va. The following schedule figures published as information and not guaranteed.

SOUTHERN RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

South.		North.
	New York-Memphis	
3:25 a.m.	(Via Bristol)	12:13 a.m.
	Washington-Danville	
7:37 a.m.	(Local)	3:00 p.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
8:47 a.m.	(Via Atlanta)	11:58 p.m.
9:07 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	9:13 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta	
9:37 a.m.	(Charlies)	11:19 p.m.
	Washington-Memphis	
2:27 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	4:59 p.m.
	Washington-Birmingham	
3:47 p.m.	(Via Atlanta)	12:08 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg	11:04 a.m.
	Washington-Charlottesville	
4:22 p.m.	(Local)	10:58 a.m.
	Washington-Warrenton	
5:22 p.m.	(Local)	7:09 a.m.
7:17 p.m.	N. Y.-Aiken Augusta	9:28 a.m.
	New York-New Orleans	
10:07 p.m.	(Via Bristol)	7:41 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	New York-Atlanta	9:28 a.m.
11:02 p.m.	New York-New Orleans (Via Atlanta)	9:28 a.m.
	Charlotte-Washington	
	(Local)	6:48 p.m.

WASHINGTON-SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

South.		North.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
12:10 a.m.	(Local)	8:10 a.m.
	New York-Jacksonville	
3:25 a.m.	(A. C. L.)	11:30 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:32 a.m.	(Coaches only)	
	Alexandria-Quantico-Fredericksburg and local beyond	
	Washington-Richmond	
7:58 a.m.	(Local)	11:52 a.m.
	New York-Jacksonville	
10:05 a.m.	(S. A. L.)	10:15 p.m.
	Washington-Richmond	
11:47 a.m.	(Express)	7:50 p.m.
	Washington-Quantico	
12:12 p.m.	(Local)	5:23 p.m.
	New York-Palm Beach-Key West	
3:25 p.m.	(A. C. L.)	9:10 p.m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Memphis	
3:27 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	12 noon
	Washington-Richmond	
5:27 p.m.	(Local)	7:37 p.m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
6:00 p.m.	(S. A. L.)	9:20 a.m.
6:15 p.m.	N. Y.-Jacksonville-P. B.-K. W.	9:30 a.m.
	Richmond-Washington	
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